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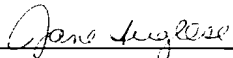
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In the Office Action dated January 16, 2002, the Examiner indicated that references AA-AJ, BA-CC, EE-EX, DJ-DO, and GB-GG cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed August 3, 2001 fail to comply with 37 CFR 1.98 (a)(2) because copies of the references were not submitted. The Examiner further indicated that the citation for reference FG fails to conform to any known Japanese document citation format. Enclosed are a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, a Form PTO-1449 listing each of the references cited above (designated as references GI-IG), and copies of each of the cited references. The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the enclosed references and return an initialed copy of the form PTO-1449 to Applicants.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication and to refund any overpayment associated with this communication or during the pendency of this application to deposit account 23-3050.

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